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## **FOREWORD**

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The addresses printed herewith were delivered at a joint meeting of the American Academy of Political and Social Science and the Pennsylvania Arbitration and Peace Society on the evening of Friday, November 10, 1916. The importance of the occasion, as well as the significance of the addresses, make it desirable to place them in the hands of every member of the Academy. The American public has never had an opportunity to form a judgment of the purposes of the Mexican Revolution. It has seemed important to the officers of the Academy that these purposes should be presented by the men who have taken not only a leading part in the revolutionary movement but who are now actively engaged in an endeavor to work out these purposes in concrete and practical form.